

# Gulf Islands Driftwood

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## Meadowbrook: a life changed

By CAREY RUDISILL  
Staff Writer

Meadowbrook resident Bert McCann first thought about moving into the supportive living complex two years ago.

"That's when they started taking applications," he said.

McCann lives in one of the building's 11 two-bedroom suites. The remaining 27 rooms are one-bedroom suites.

He and his wife Dorothy originally planned to live in Meadowbrook together.

The couple sold their Tantramar Road house in Vesuvius Bay area to a neighbour. They were also planning to do more travelling.

"We planned to boat around the world," he said. "I just couldn't cope with that."

"Plans change and you've got to change with them."

And plans did indeed change.

Dorothy had been in the respite program at Greenwoods three days a week. Then the couple's doctor and long-term care assessor Lorcan Pitcher suggested Dorothy stay there full-time.

Dorothy moved into Greenwoods Intermediate Care Centre six weeks ago.

McCann explained that Dorothy has Alzheimer's disease, and that's forced adjustments for both of them.

"She has good weeks and bad weeks," he said.

"There's a bit of adjustment for her. She's always had freedom to go outside."

When she came by the Meadowbrook suite for the first time, she told him she planned to stay.

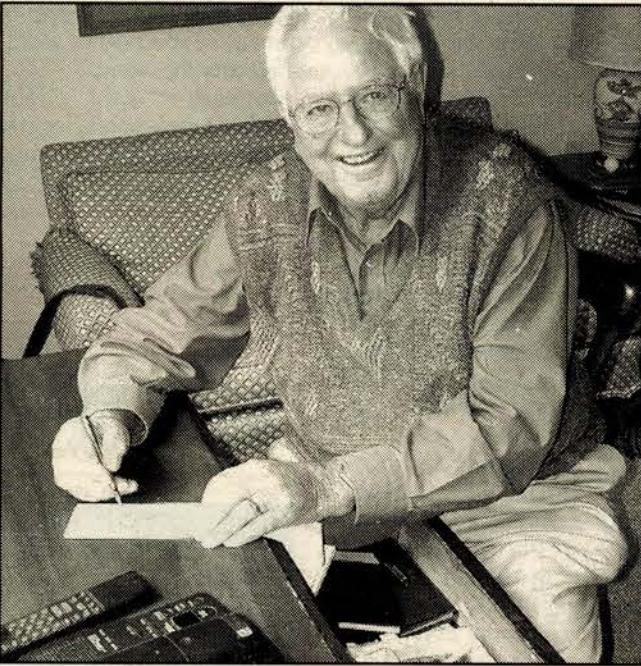
"My wife looked at the place and said, 'Bert I'm going to stay here and send you to Greenwoods.'"

But McCann has no plans to move again.

"They're going to have to take me out feet first and they'll have to have a strong box because I'll kick," he joked.

McCann has his reasons for not wanting to move out. The process of moving in was a long one.

McCann's daughter Lindsay came over from Burnaby and his son Karl travelled from Toronto to help him pack up. His nephew Colin McCann also helped with the move.



**NEW DIGS:** Bert McCann is seen at his new home in the Meadowbrook supportive living complex.

Photo by Carey Rudisill

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Neighbours Nora Lloyd and Dave Kirwin also assisted, along with the Five Star Moving crew.

With two decades' worth of clothes and household goods needing to be sorted and boxed, family members had their work cut out for them.

"We moved to Salt Spring Island in 1983," said McCann.

When he moved into Meadowbrook on August 28, McCann was one of the first tenants in the building.

He didn't mind, though.

"I had the kids out. I wanted to move," he said.

McCann said his daughter was the organizing one of the trio and assumed the job of "downsizing." The Tantramar Road house, at 1400 square feet, had space to spare. The new suite is smaller but has several storage closets.

The crowning jewel, though, for McCann was the washroom.

"I thought I died and gone to heaven," he said. "Our place in Tantramar was two cottages put together. The

bathroom was tiny. So when I came in this space I go in and forget what I came for."

He added that the cupboard space is "out of this world."

The moving process helped McCann cull unnecessary items.

"Here you cut down to what you need," he said.

He added that his daughter was quite helpful in the decision-making stage of what to keep. Sometimes too much so.

"I had to fight for some stuff," he said. "She'd say 'Dad, you don't need that' and I'd go and retrieve it."

Calls were made and antique dealers toured the house scouting for treasures another family would love.

In several instances, he proved to his daughter that it was good to hold onto items. A buyer for Lunds auction house purchased a pea-green wash stand McCann bought for \$10 in the 1950s. Lunds paid him \$300.

After the dealers left, the family held attic sales and garage sales.

McCann added that he still has more household items — odds and ends — that have to go. Other items have been donated to local thrift stores.

Now, McCann works on the little touches in his new place, like switching his phone line to Meadowbrook. His granddaughter Alexandra can still call him and play classical piano for him. His other granddaughter, Erin, can phone him as well.

McCann usually asks her about fencing, which is her favourite sport.

He added that he also bugs her about meeting cowboys.

"They like girls who fence," he said.

When his granddaughters come to visit, they'll notice the name plaque on the door states "Bert and Dorothy McCann."

It's a sign of the adjustments McCann and his wife are undergoing, as they adapt to life in two different residences.

While Dorothy may come to visit, it will be Bert who Meadowbrook staff and volunteers say hello to each day.

He doesn't mind though.

"They hired a nice staff," he said. "They're just the most friendly people that I've run into."

McCann added that he cannot thank Gordon English, Mary Toynbee or other volunteers with the Gulf Islands Senior Residence Association enough for their work.

Meadowbrook is holding an open house for the public on Sunday, September 28 from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.

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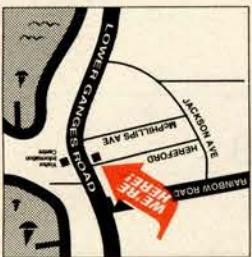
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**HANDS ON FOOT:** Joy Burrows gives a foot massage as numerous Salt Spring health practitioners participate in the Illuminating Wellness Festival at Mahon Hall last weekend.

Photo by Derrick Lundy

## Tsawout set to visit

Salt Spring Islanders for Justice and Reconciliation will host several Tsawout First Nation visitors next Thursday, October 2.

About 20 elders and Chief Allan Claxton are among those planning to attend, reports Phil Vernon. They will visit the Menhinick Reserve, followed by a public potluck event at Beaver Point Hall. More information is available from Vernon at 653-9482 or pvernon@saltspring.com.

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# Concerned citizens plan ecovillage

By CAREY RUDISILL

Staff Writer

The Salt Spring Educational Ecovillage Development Society (SEEDS) wants to go where others have tried to go before.

SEEDS hopes to build an ecovillage on Salt Spring Island.

Ken Rouleau, SEEDS member and owner of StarBooks in Ganges, believes in the idea of sustainable community development.

He knows this isn't a new idea for the island.

"The idea has come up before," he said. "We're not reinventing the wheel."

He said SEEDS will combine efforts of previous groups with a renewed sense of direction.

"The time is always right but then there's snags," said Rouleau. "Trying to find land. Internal politics."

The new group, still in its infancy, currently has about 10 members.

SEEDS member Irja Kriegel has been on Salt Spring Island for three years.

"I've never found a place that's more community-oriented," she said. "I love it."

But she wants more.

Kriegel envisions a 100-acre village somewhere on the island.

"That'd be perfect," she said. "It'd be nice to have some good water on the land, some forested and some cleared for farming."

She added that most of the group agreed the population should be kept between 50 to 100 people.

"Most people agreed on small," she said.

When asked how the group would decide who could live there, Kriegel explained the village was a big idea and they're still taking baby steps.

"We haven't come to that place yet. It has been said that we want it to be very

open but still discerning," she said. "If you have the wrong people come in it can go wrong."

Decisions are made by consensus and there is no hierarchy of leadership.

"All meetings are about clarifying the vision [of the village]," she said.

Kriegel hopes the village will be an inclusive place.

"We'd like to take care of the elderly and people with disabilities to get more of a sense of community," she said.

Kriegel also wants to see people live better.

"We feel that a lot of people aren't happy with the choices we have right now with food and community," she said. "We want to live in a more sustainable way."

That way includes social, economic, cultural, spiritual and ecological elements.

Other sections of the village would include a community garden, healing baths and water catchment areas.

Kriegel believes the island can build an ecovillage.

"There are ecovillages in deserts and on tops of mountains," she said. "So if they can do it there then we should be able to do it here."

Shawnigan Lake already has plans underway at its ecovillage site where a community centre is under construction. Other similar villages have been built in numerous locations worldwide such as the U.S., Mexico, Wales, Scotland, Germany and Wales.

Kriegel asks others to pitch in.

"You hear people say 'I'm only one person,'" she said. "Really we can do so much and together we can do so much more."

She added that an elderly man offered to donate the use of his land for a secondary, off-site garden and another individual offered the use of his combine if the village goes into farming.

Kriegel sees the village not just as a place for people today but also for future generations.

"We should do more for our children. We have a responsibility," she said.

"The land is pretty diverse here on Salt Spring Island. There is an importance of

taking our power back as people and not depending on government giving us our choices."

The group meets every Monday from 5 to 7 p.m. at Starbooks.

For more information, contact Ken Rouleau at 537-2633.

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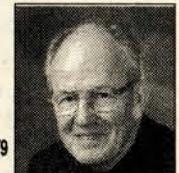
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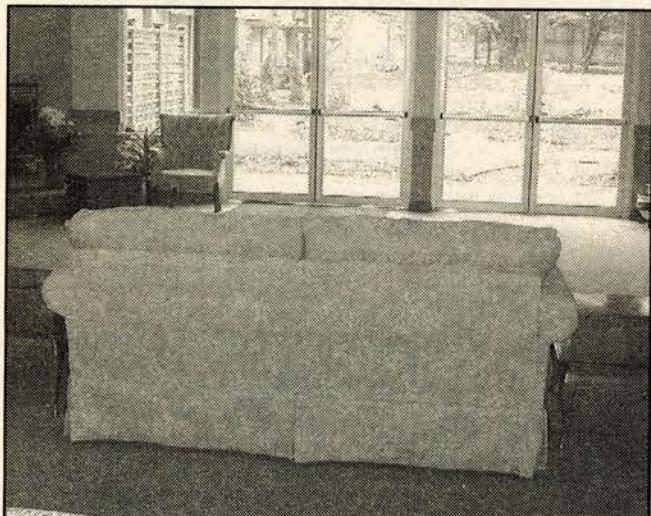
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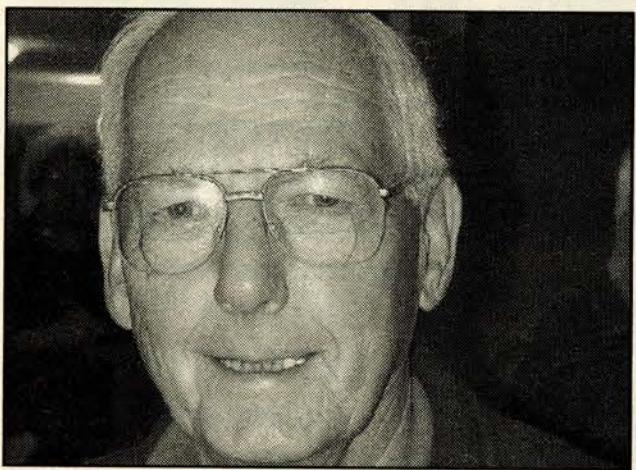
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**B**y Sunday, Mary Toynbee hopes the sawdust will be gone.

Toynbee, a founding member of the Gulf Islands Seniors Residence Association (GISRA), explained that volunteers and contractors are still doing touch-ups on the brand new facility.

"We're checking door locks and cleaning up sawdust," she said. "We have our occupancy permit, so we're moving ahead."

And moving in.

Toynbee is one of numerous volunteers involved with the supportive living complex for seniors who may find challenges in living at home but aren't yet ready for Greenwoods Intermediate Care Facility.

Depending on how you look at the development, the process has long been in the works, or it happened very quickly.

For those involved since the building was just a concept, it's been a long time coming — but well worth waiting for.

Toynbee has been a GISRA stalwart since the idea for a supportive-living building first surfaced in the spring of 1997.

She's not alone. GISRA has been a magnet for volunteers over the years.

The current GISRA board includes president Gordon English, Toynbee as secretary

and Sid Smith as treasurer, Betty Ball, Ben Bouzan, Donna Mort and Mike Wilson.

"There has always been a board of seven people," said Smith.

The association has had several committees. The building committee, chaired by Wilson, met once a week for four years and included English, Phil Hume, Smith and Toynbee. The operations committee met over the past two years to discuss administrative issues such as protocol of hiring staff. This committee, chaired by Smith, consisted of Ball, Bouzan, Mort Stratton and Toynbee.

Another committee helped prepare prospective residents for their move to Meadowbrook.

Toynbee and English were two of the founding members in November 1998.

"That's when we started planning," said Toynbee. "And looking for property."

In 1999, the association became a charitable entity. A year later, volunteers started fundraising.

No federal or provincial government funding was available for such a project, so GISRA turned to its members for help.

With loans provided by 13 association members, approximately two and a half acres of land on Atkins Road was purchased in 2000.

"That's our earnest money," said Toynbee. "From our earnest people."

She explained how these people wanted to see the project come to fruition and

took their wishes to the bankers.

While the "earnest people" were making their way to the bank, many Salt Spring seniors began to sign up for suites in a building that existed only on paper.

Three short — or long — years later, during the September 28 open house which runs from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m., curious community members will wander in and out. They might see a place where they or their parents can move into one day.

Or, they might come solely to celebrate a building constructed by concerned seniors, their families and friends, and hardworking tradespeople who want to see a diverse and healthy Salt Spring community.

**Congratulations to GISRA and all the people of Salt Spring on the opening of Meadowbrook Seniors Residence. Thank you to my crew for all of their hard work. My compliments to the project managers and the other trades for all their fine work.**

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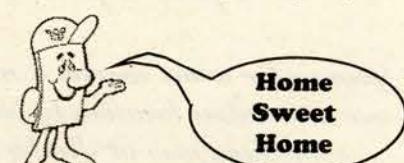
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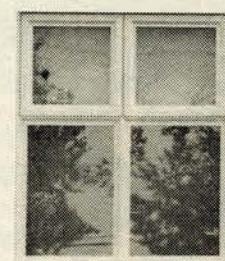
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# Frost says Martha Stewart show publicity benefits island artists

By CAREY RUDISILL  
Staff Writer

Local wood turner Kurt Frost received a welcome surprise earlier this month when a woman who saw Frost's work at ArtCraft stopped at his studio to meet him in person.

Frost showed her several pieces and his Cusheon Lake Road work space. She took some photos and gave him her business card.

Frost was surprised when he took a closer look at her business card.

"When she gave me the card — I didn't even see the name Martha Stewart," he said.

She explained that the company she worked for was interested in featuring him in a future television show for a project done in conjunction with BC Tourism.

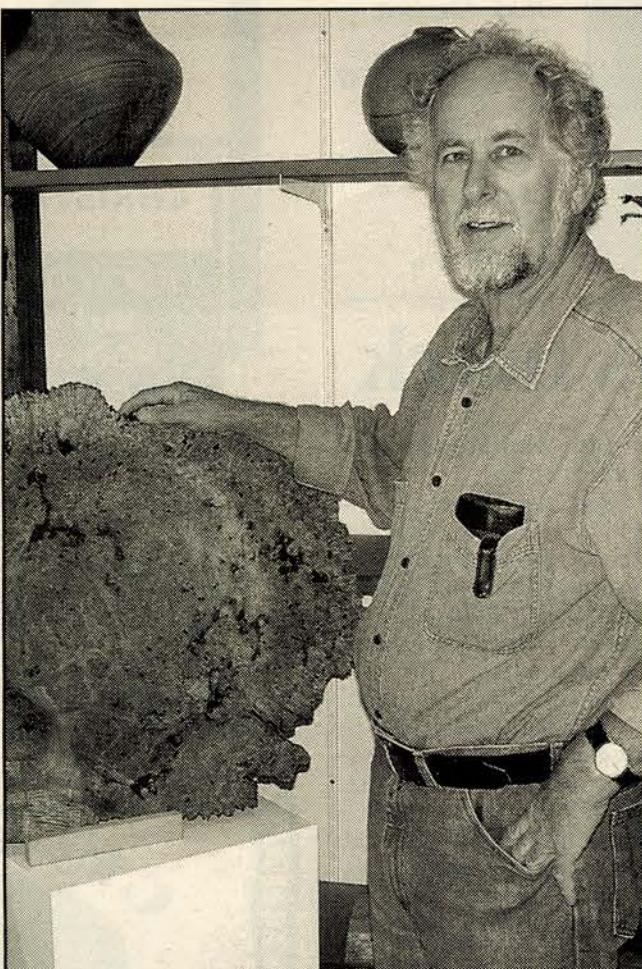
She said she would need approval from her bosses first.

The woman, Ann MacMullan, was a field producer for Martha Stewart Living Omnimedia based in Westport, Connecticut.

MacMullan called back a few days later and said they were coming up.

On Saturday, September 13, MacMullan returned with another manager, two camera men and two lighting men.

Frost said the crew was at his studio from 11 a.m. until



**INSTANT FAME:** Local wood turner Kurt Frost stands beside a piece he showed to a representative of Martha Stewart Living Omnimedia this month. Frost will be featured in a future segment of the Martha Stewart Living television program in conjunction with BC Tourism.

Photo by Carey Rudisill

six in the evening.

"It was hectic," he said.

The crew went to the

market where Frost introduced them to other local wood turners and then

went to his studio.

Frost hopes the show, which features other individuals and groups from the island, including the Island Wildlife Natural Care Centre, will promote Salt Spring Island.

"It's good for the island and our tourism," he said.

Frost added he is particularly concerned that local artists receive more attention both locally and elsewhere.

"The arts and crafts people here make the island," said Frost. "They make people come here. If we didn't have the artists we'd be like Galiano and the other islands."

Frost added that wood turning isn't his occupation.

"This is my hobby," he said.

He added that others make their living from art and need this kind of exposure.

"Artisans can use every little bit of help," he said.

Frost has been a wood turner for over seven years and an island resident for more than 17.

He wasn't sure when the program will run.

"They said they'd send me a tape," he said.

Martha Stewart, often referred to as "the guide to stylish living," is known for "how-to" segments in both her magazine and television show.

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Rudy Giuliani is just doing these days. Overall though, Anger management does provide more than its fair share of laughs. The two principals actually have good chemistry, which really surprised me. Niccholson is good, but his character is not all that different. Sandlot, while playing a role familiar to him, seems happy to push the boundaries a little. If there is a problem it's merely chuckle-inducers. Oh, and let's not forget the ending.

You can see it coming a mile away (er, a movie away?), and a cameo by the therapist for Sandler himself — damned expensive heifers.

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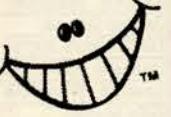
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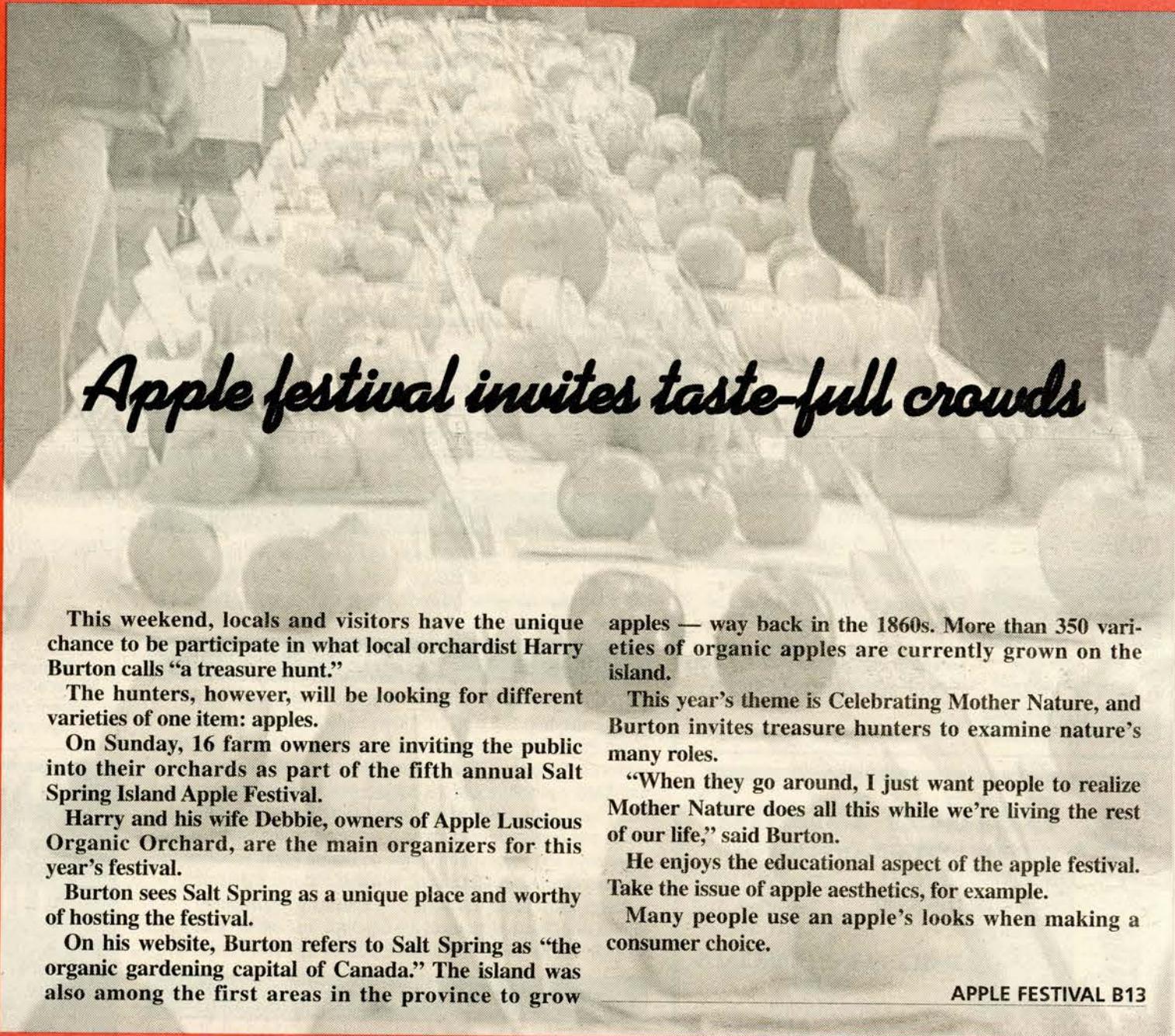
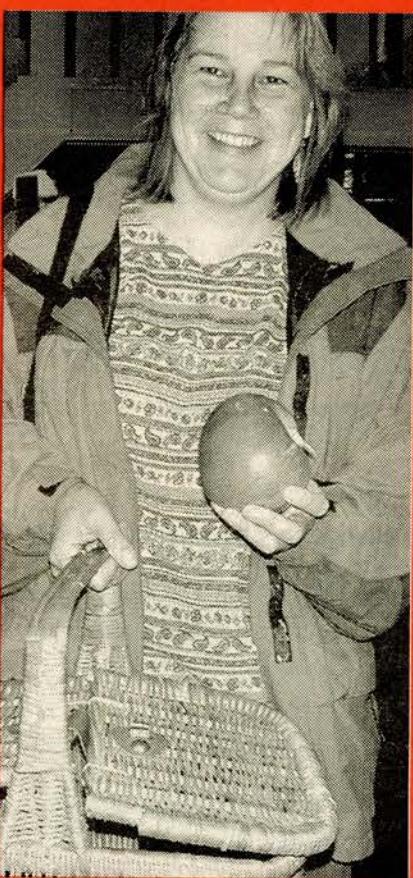
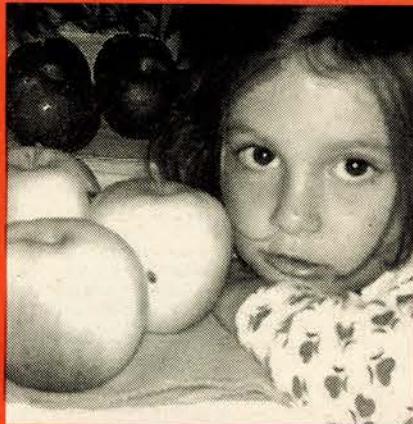
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# SALT SPRING VISITOR

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## Apple festival invites taste-full crowds

This weekend, locals and visitors have the unique chance to be participate in what local orchardist Harry Burton calls "a treasure hunt."

The hunters, however, will be looking for different varieties of one item: apples.

On Sunday, 16 farm owners are inviting the public into their orchards as part of the fifth annual Salt Spring Island Apple Festival.

Harry and his wife Debbie, owners of Apple Luscious Organic Orchard, are the main organizers for this year's festival.

Burton sees Salt Spring as a unique place and worthy of hosting the festival.

On his website, Burton refers to Salt Spring as "the organic gardening capital of Canada." The island was also among the first areas in the province to grow

apples — way back in the 1860s. More than 350 varieties of organic apples are currently grown on the island.

This year's theme is Celebrating Mother Nature, and Burton invites treasure hunters to examine nature's many roles.

"When they go around, I just want people to realize Mother Nature does all this while we're living the rest of our life," said Burton.

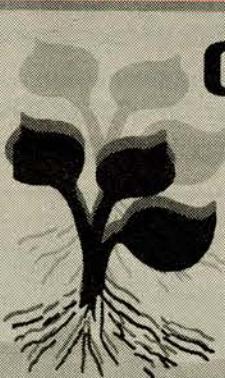
He enjoys the educational aspect of the apple festival. Take the issue of apple aesthetics, for example.

Many people use an apple's looks when making a consumer choice.

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# APPLE FESTIVAL: Runs this weekend

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"Sometimes people won't eat the apple that doesn't look good," he said. "There are two types of apples. There are city apples like the Red Delicious. Then, there's country apples, which don't always look good but taste good."

For the day, participants will receive a map of the island with directions to each farm and what it offers. Participants can choose which farms they wish to visit and in what order.

Burton expects a good turnout again.

"Last year we had 400 people," he said.

He sees that as a good number.

"Last week we went to a fair in Wisconsin with 50,000 people," he said. "You can't tell me they're getting quality."

The island apple festival is becoming well-known in the area. A tour company from Nanaimo is arriving with a bus load of 40 people for the event. Sixty-five orchardists are also coming by boat from Port Townsend, Washington.

The island's festival is better than others and not just because of the numbers, said Burton.

"On this tour, they actually have the time to stop and

look," he said.

With the large number of places to visit, people will want to take the time to soak in both the information and the surroundings.

Burton recommends people begin their tour at Fulford Hall.

"It's a nice place to start out," he said.

Open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Fulford Hall will showcase different displays, including one where individuals can test the sweetness of an apple. Other tables are manned by experts in bees, apple identification and fruit tree diseases.

The South Salt Spring

Women's Institute will be selling pies by the slice. The ladies, who are famous for their pie-making prowess, have baked pies using eight different types of — you guessed it — apples.

For people who get hungry while on the go Sunday, Salt Spring Gymnastics Association members will be selling lunch items to raise money for more storage space at Fulford Hall.

Tickets for the Salt Spring Island Apple Festival can be purchased on Sunday at Fulford Hall or outside the Tourist Information Centre in Ganges. Adults will pay

\$10, students \$5, and children under 12 years of age are free.

Proceeds go to the Organic Apple Network of Salt Spring Island (OANOSSI) towards the purchase of apple processing equipment.

Burton said last year's profits helped pay for a press built by local mechanic Doug Rajala.

The hydraulic press will be capable of holding a couple hundred pounds of apples, Burton said.

Over \$3,500 was raised last year and Burton hopes to raise a similar amount this year.

The next thing on the net-

work's wish list is a pasteurizer and a place to house the two items.

"Maybe something like a garage," said Burton. "But nothing else can be used in it because of the inspection process."

Burton has a reason for his determination. He hopes the festival can be a successful way to provide local orchardists with new markets for their produce.

"Thrifty's told us they'll take everything we make once it's pasteurized," he said.

For more information on the festival, contact Harry Burton at 653-2007.

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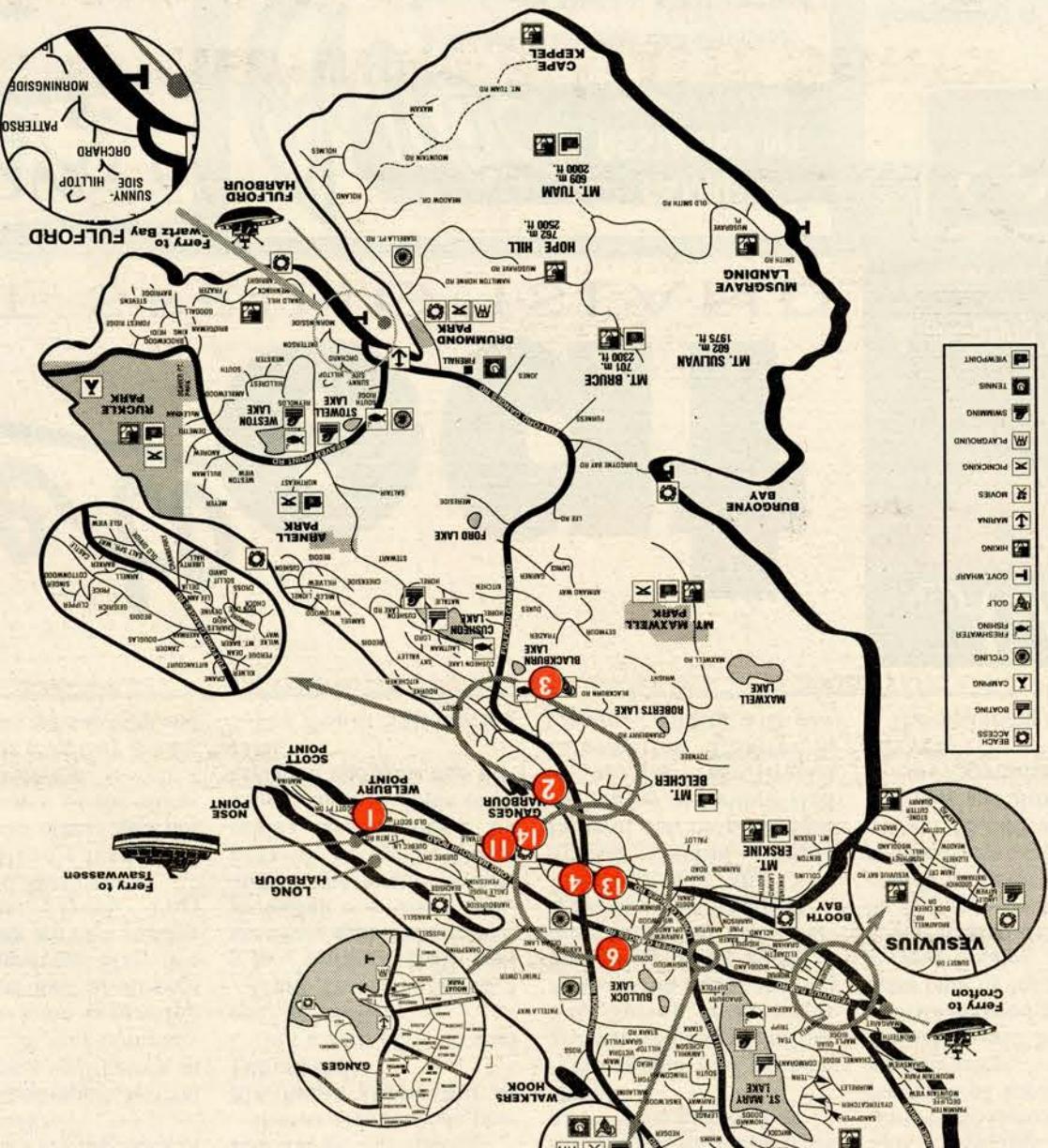
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6 244 358	CH	Is Written Ernest Angley	Van Impe	NFL on CH				Casino	Taste Life	Compact	Myst.Ink	Music	Ins.Ent.			
7 243 321	CTVBC	7:00 Morning Canada	Eagle Communic.	Eagle C.	Worldvision	Eagle C.	Question Period	W-Five Presents	Recipe for Revenge	Kim Huffman.						
8 241 336	GBLBC	Sunday Morning News	BodyHlth	Scully	The Hour of Power		News	Football NFL Teams TBA								
9 443 383	KCTS	Ballerina Sawa	Arthur	G.Gables	Liberty	Dragonfly	Sewing	KayeQuill	1 Stroke	Glass	Miss Marple	Suze Orman				
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13 454 523	BRAVO	7: The Tender Trap	The Big Picture (1989) Kevin Bacon.		Guilt by Suspicion	Robert De Niro.	Art Crimes		Inside Actors Studio	Bravo! Bio						
14 436 560	TLC	Trading Spaces	Trading Spaces	While You Were Out	Junkyard MWars	Building the Biggest	Trading Spaces	Sports Disasters	Sports Disasters II							
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7 243 321	CTVBC	Diamond Girl (1998) Joey Collins.	News	Alias (SP)	Cold Case (SP)	Law & Order (SP)	Nip/Tuck	News	35 Vegas							
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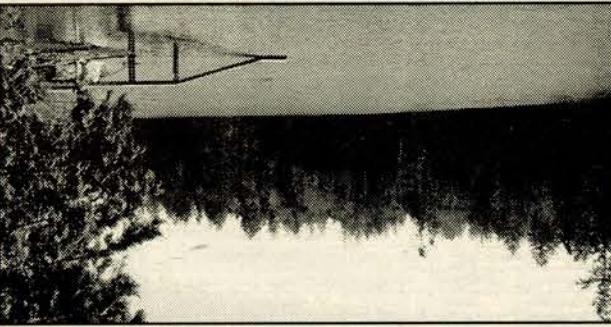
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# Bawlf book plunders riches from secret Drake voyage

By MITCHELL SHERRIN  
Staff Writer

Readers with a taste for pirate adventures, maritime archaeology and the history of exploration will uncover a bountiful treasure with a new book by Salt Spring writer Samuel Bawlf.

The scope of Bawlf's latest book, *The Secret Voyage of Sir Francis Drake*, is almost as audacious as the circumnavigation adventure described.

The local writer sets out to prove that the Elizabethan privateer secretly explored the Pacific coast of North America aboard the Golden Hinde in 1579, a full 200 years before James Cook and George Vancouver.

Drake's 60,000-kilometre voyage included one of the greatest heists in history, the capture of the Spanish treasure ship Cacafuego loaded with 26 tons of silver and gold.

Consequently, most accounts of the English captain's adventures have focussed on his exploits as a gold-seeking pirate.

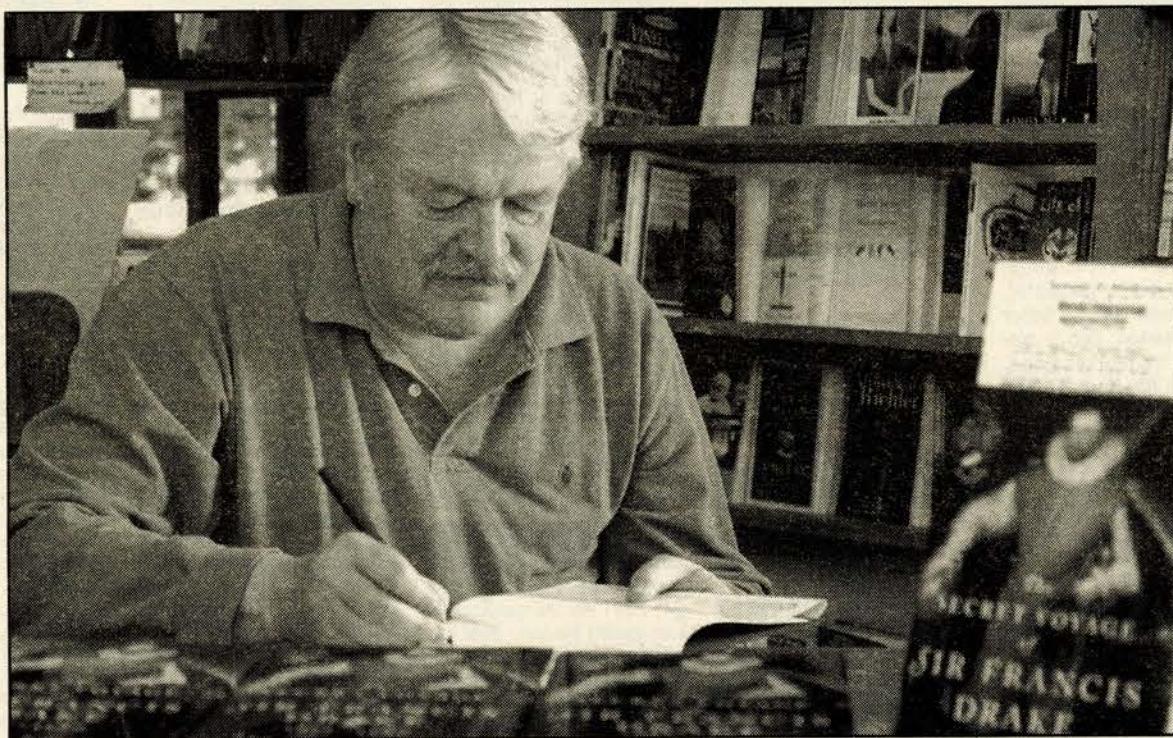
"Rarely is he thought to be an explorer. However, his maps reveal that Drake performed an astonishing feat of exploration, and enable the full story of his voyage to be told at last," Bawlf writes in the prologue.

Through ground-breaking academic study, Bawlf uses period maps, archaeological evidence and various first-hand accounts to place Drake around Alaska and northern B.C. on a secret quest for the fabled Northwest Passage.

But the historian is most likely to please islanders when he makes a fanciful stab that Drake had planned to build a colony at what is now the site of Comox on Baynes Sound.

"Along its west side, six creeks drain into the sound, and Drake could have envisioned numerous estates extending inland from this shore. The island enclosing the sound, now called Denman Island, was quite dry but would have been excellent grazing for livestock."

And Bawlf reveals a deep love of the local landscape that comingles with an equally pow-



Salt Spring author Sam Bawlf is seen signing copies of his latest book, *The Secret Voyage of Sir Francis Drake*.

erful connection to the history of exploration.

"The lamps in Drake's cabin must have burned late into the night as he and his young cousin worked to compress his observations into illustrations and notes in his journal. He could not have hoped for a more commodious place in which to establish a colony."

Unfortunately, Bawlf was not able to access Drake's charts or journal accounts of a visit to Vancouver Island. Those documents were promptly seized upon the mariner's return from his three-year voyage in 1580.

Drake's men were not to disclose the route they took "on pain of death." Maps he made after his return were suspiciously edited and he was never permitted to publish an account of his journey.

But that lack of documentation, and the mystery that surrounded the move for secrecy, appears to be the very spark that attracted Bawlf to unveil the

story behind previous accounts.

As a reader, there are many facets of Bawlf's study to consider, while enjoying the fruit of his labours.

On the one hand, he presents an abridged account of Drake's various exploits that makes for compelling reading.

A genuine "pirate of the Caribbean," Drake looted galleons up and down the Spanish main. He defended England from a massive invasion force, "the Grand Armada," and he led a daring raid to trash the Spanish fleet in Cadiz.

But Bawlf contends Drake wanted to be most remembered for his circumnavigation of the world (the second after Magellan), which included a voyage to "the farthest corner of the globe" to discover the short-cut across North America.

Additionally, the researcher-historian also provides ample evidence to support his claim that Drake visited the shores of

B.C., including cryptographic analysis of maps, reports of 16th-century artifact finds, notes from Spanish sailors of the period and evidence of an astronomical survey conducted on the coast of Oregon.

In an academic voyage that meanders through the intricate fjords and currents of historical research, Bawlf even cites a deposition from Drake's cousin after the mariner was captured and interrogated by the Spanish Inquisition.

Overall, the scope of the book is gigantic and the narrative framework mirrors the content; it is bold, daring and thorough.

However, Bawlf's book might conceal a secret treasure, much like Drake's own secret voyage.

Though it might appear that the historian's primary mission is to convince readers that Drake travelled to B.C. in search of the Northwest Passage, Bawlf also reveals the treasure trove of an exciting story along the way.

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Described as the "perfect comedy" by Oscar Wilde, the play will be read in the Bateman Gallery at ArtSpring on Saturday, October 4 at 8 p.m., and again on Sunday, October 5 at 2 p.m.

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**029 LOST AND FOUND**

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FOUND SIAMESE cat, about 3 weeks ago, at Big Foot Herb Farm, please call 537-4466.

FOUND DRESS on Atkins Rd., Sunday, Sept. 13. Owner may claim at the Driftwood.

FOUND PRESCRIPTION glasses at Fernwood beach. Owner may claim at the Driftwood office.

FOUND: WALLET, black. Also, numerous sets of keys have been turned in. Owners may claim at the Tourist Information Centre, 537-5252.

LOST: YELLOW side cover for motorcycle between Fernwood and Long Harbour. 537-5405.

WATCH FOUND on the Indian Reserve, Sunday, Sept. 21. Owner may claim at the Driftwood.

**032 MEETINGS**

IF YOUR Driftwood subscription label has the date highlighted, now is the time to renew!

SUMMER HOLIDAYS! Better late than never. Signs by Jill will be closed until October 1.

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**NOTICE OF BUSINESS MEETING**  
The Salt Spring Island Local Trust Committee will be meeting to consider various matters of general business, such as applications received, bylaw reviews and meeting notes.

**DATE:** Saturday, Sept. 27, 2003

**TIME:** 1:15 P.M.

**PLACE:** Hart Bradley Hall

103 Bonnett Avenue

Starting at 1:15 pm, up to 45 minutes will be available for the public to discuss local land use matters with the Local Trust Committee. Those who wish to present a more formal petition, or make a delegation to the Committee as an Agenda item, must advise Islands Trust staff at least one week in advance of the meeting so that they can be added to the beginning of the Agenda. For information about the Agenda, please call the Islands Trust at 537-9144.

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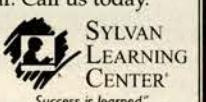
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THE ADULT GRADUATION Program will again be running from September to June. Start or finish your grade 12 for career advancement or personal satisfaction. New classes start throughout the year. Call Len Sokol at 537-9944 ext. 248, or 537-2949, or see the A.G.P. link on the G.I.S.S. webpage.

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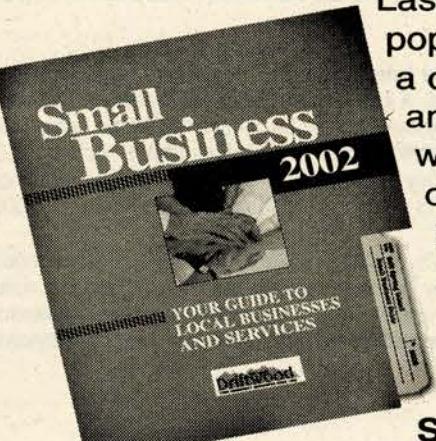
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